

Social Matters.

THE WEATHER.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING WEDNESDAY, JULY 21.

Table with columns: Date, Wind, Thermometer (7 a.m., Noon, 4 p.m.). Rows for Thurs. July 15, Fri. 16, Sat. 17, Sun. 18, Mon. 19, Tues. 20, Wed. 21.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

Trains pass Middlebury station at the hours given below:

GOING NORTH—Express, 3:30 a. m.; local express, 7:30 a. m.; mail, 8:25 p. m.; express, 8:45 p. m.
GOING SOUTH—Mail, 9:30 a. m.; passenger, 10:30 a. m.; mixed, 3:47 p. m.; express, 10:15 p. m.

THE CHURCHES.

ST. STEPHEN'S.

REV. ALVA E. CARPENTER, RECTOR.
Sunday—Services, 10:45 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School, 12:15 p. m.
Friday—Evening Prayer, 7:30 p. m.
Special Service on Holy Days.

CONGREGATIONAL.

REV. S. LEVIN B. SPEARE, PASTOR.
Sunday services, 10:45 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sabbath school, 12:00 m.
Thursday, conference meeting, 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST.

REV. A. DEE PALMER, PASTOR.
Sunday services, 10:45 a. m.; 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school, 12:00 m.
H. J. Chapman, superintendent.
Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.
Sents free.

METHODIST.

REV. JOHN J. NOE, PASTOR.
Sunday Services, 10:45 a. m.
Young People's meeting, 8:30 p. m.
Evening services, 7:30 p. m.
Sabbath school, 12:00 m.
Class meeting, 12:00 m.
Class meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

REV. HENRY LANE, PASTOR.
This is the order of services in the R. C. church commencing with the first Sunday in February.
First Sunday in February—Mass at 10:30 a. m.; catechism, 3:30 p. m.; benediction, 7:30 p. m.
Second Sunday—Mass at 9 a. m.; catechism, 3:30 p. m.; benediction, 7:30 p. m.
Third Sunday—Mass at 10:30 a. m.; catechism, 3:30 p. m.; benediction, 7:30 p. m.
Fourth Sunday—No morning or afternoon service, but benediction at 7:30 p. m.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Fine ice cream at Manney's.
A new line of bird cages at Wales'.
Marshall's is the place to buy a good watch.
Fruit jars are sold cheap at McCuen's, Vergennes.
Granulated sugar, 9 1/2 cents, at McCuen's, Vergennes.
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Have you seen the warranted new watch Marshall is selling for \$5.
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McCuen of Vergennes is making special low prices now on goods of every description.
For the next 30 days you can buy a good set of chairs for \$2 at B. H. Hope's furniture store.
Read the announcement of the sun Mills.
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JOS. LAROCK.
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otherwise, I will call on them. I would say to those having old taxes unpaid that it is important that they should attend to them at once.
M. A. MURROE, Collector.
Middlebury, July 15, 1886.

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Carrie Bond has been in Burlington this week on a visit to friends.

H. B. Potter of New York city is in town, a guest at George Hammond's.

Frank Kilpatrick of Philadelphia is in town on a visit to his uncle, William Duncan.

Mrs. R. M. Carson of Rutland is home on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Speyer.

Mrs. C. D. Headlee of Caledonia, Washington Co., Mo., will visit Vermont in August.

It is believed that the coming freshman class at the college will not number less than twenty.

The recent rains have raised the water in the creek so that the mills are fairly well supplied with water.

Fred E. Rogers, formerly with A. Calhoun, has bought Thos. E. Flint's oil business, team, wagon, etc.

Mrs. J. H. Royce and son of Nebraska are visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. J. Shelton and Mrs. E. L. Parkhurst.

Fifteen cents per pound was the ruling price for butter in this market, Monday, and 16 cents was paid for selections.

George H. Remele, Esq., of Boston and family arrived in town on Monday to visit at his father's, Wm. R. Remele.

It is announced that the meetings will be continued on the park over Sunday, July 25, commencing at half-past nine, a. m.

Den, J. B. Benedict was chosen assignee of John H. Sargent's insolvent estate and is engaged in selling off the goods.

The graded district has finished haying, the last of the grass on the parks about the school building having been cut this week.

Prof. DeGarmo of New York city is conducting a very successful dancing class of about a dozen members in this village.

Dr. E. P. Russell, who was quite ill the latter part of last week and the early days of this, is again able to attend his patients.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Bond and son returned home Saturday evening from their trip to Tarrytown, N. Y., and vicinity.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ellis, who left for Buenos Ayres in June, have heard from them at Para, Brazil, where they had arrived in safety.

Letters thus addressed have remained in the postoffice one month uncalled for: H. C. Moore, George Sanders, Dr. G. F. Smith, Dr. E. Sprague, Miss Harriet Squares.

Mr. B. F. Owens has gone to San Francisco to attend the national encampment of the G. A. R. We believe he is the only Middlebury man who will take the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marshall and daughter went yesterday morning to Wells Beach, where the ladies will remain for several weeks. Mr. Marshall will return after seeing them settled.

John A. Fletcher left home Tuesday morning for Forsyth, Montana, to spend the remainder of the vacation with his brother Paris, who manages a large ranch in the vicinity of that town.

The elegant diamond-studded champion belt and medals, the property of James Robinson, the great rider with Doris' circus, will be placed on exhibition in Marshall's jewelry store window on Friday, July 30, for a few hours only.

Mr. Charles Billings of Rippon, who was graduated from the college at the late commencement, has been engaged as assistant principal of the Monson (Mass.) academy, of which Prof. C. C. Gove, formerly of Beeman academy, New Haven, is the principal.

The Prohibition club lately organized here has about 20 members. The promoters say that little effort has yet been made to secure members. These are the officers: President, Clinton Smith; vice-presidents, Rev. A. De F. Palmer, Prof. H. M. Seely; secretary, J. E. Crane; treasurer, D. E. Boyce.

The Salvation army parade the streets every evening and afterwards holds a meeting at the barracks. The congregations are large, and quite a number of converts are claimed. On Sunday a meeting was held in Frog Hollow. Two recruits have come from abroad, making the contingent now at work here five in number.

As Den. Porter and his daughter, Miss Cora, were driving toward home, Saturday afternoon, their horse turned square around in front of Mr. Chapman's residence, throwing out both the occupants of the carriage, who luckily escaped injury, and breaking the vehicle up badly. The animal was frightened by the circus bulletin board.

There was a very interesting address in the Y. M. C. A. hall last Sunday by Rev. Geo. M. Rowland. Rev. B. Fay Mills will deliver an address next Sunday at 3:30. There was a very profitable meeting for the young men Wednesday evening, led by C. W. Spencer. A cordial invitation is extended to all young men to be present at the meetings.

The selectmen are engaged in preparing a check list for use at the coming September election. The law relating to elections was amended at the last session of the legislature so that the select-

men of each town are required to prepare a check-list and post copies of it in two or more public places in town; and no one is to be allowed to vote at a freeman's meeting unless his name is on the check-list.

The Democrats met in caucus at the town hall on Thursday evening of last week to choose delegates to the State convention, which was held at Montpelier yesterday. A. B. Colby was chosen chairman and A. T. Stapleton, secretary. J. E. Stapleton, Postmaster Peck and Martin O'Connor, the committee to bring in a list of delegates, reported as follows, and the report was accepted and adopted: Delegates—Peter Champagne, John Grant and Humphrey Sullivan; alternates—A. B. Colby, A. T. Stapleton and Geo. E. Abbey.

ADDISON COUNTY PROHIBITIONISTS. THE TICKET NOMINATED AND RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

The Prohibitionists of Addison county held their convention at the town hall in this village yesterday and put a full ticket in the field.

The convention was called to order by Clinton Smith of Middlebury. Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Noe, pastor of the Middlebury Methodist church. Mr. Smith read the call for the meeting; and presented the names of Prof. H. M. Seely of Middlebury and Den. J. E. Crane of Middlebury for chairman and secretary, respectively, of the convention, and they were elected.

On taking the chair Prof. Seely said that extended remarks on his part were not necessary. The meeting was for business chiefly. It was for work in the interest of the party which was soon to be the dominant party. In conclusion he expressed his pleasure at seeing so many present.

Clinton Smith moved that committees on resolutions, nominations and enrollment be appointed, and it was so voted. The committees, as finally fixed upon, were as follows:

On Resolutions—Rev. Messrs. Noe and Palmer of Middlebury, Cyrus Bump of Salisbury, F. E. Stewart of Waybridge.
On Nominations—Chas. E. Smith of Bristol, H. A. Hays of Vergennes, O. F. Mead of Salisbury, S. C. Brooks of New Haven.

On Enrollment—Clinton Smith of Middlebury, R. T. Bristol of Pantton, G. W. Snedden of Waybridge, C. C. Sumner of Bristol, Henry Robbins of Cornwall, H. N. Morse of Lebanon, F. S. Thompson of New Haven, Dr. D. M. Bump of Salisbury, J. C. Smith of Shoreham, F. E. Stewart of Waybridge, H. A. Hays of Vergennes, D. Mender of Monkton.

The committee on nominations was made up on the basis of one member from each town represented. In reply to a question from Rev. Mr. Palmer as to what the nominating committee was expected to do, the chairman said one of the purposes of the gathering was to nominate a full county ticket.

Mr. Stewart of the nominating committee wished to know whether it was the sense of those present that this convention should renominate good temperance men already in the field on other parties' tickets, or whether they should go on and make independent nominations.

Edgar Sanford of West Cornwall spoke strongly in favor of independence. The other plan had been tried and failed. O. F. Comstock endorsed Mr. Sanford's view.

The enrollment committee read the list of names of those present and constituting the convention. The total number was 44.

L. W. Peet of Cornwall, who was named as a member of the nominating committee, said he was fully in accord with the temperance movement, but was not quite ready to join with the Prohibitionists as a party. He therefore wished to be excused from serving on the committee, and was excused.

It was voted that when the convention adjourns it be to 1:30, and, after announcements had been made that the ladies of the W. C. T. U. had prepared lunch in the town room below, the convention took a recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION.
The convention reassembled at two o'clock. Rev. Mr. Noe of the committee on resolutions reported for that committee as follows:

WHEREAS, We believe the time has come to take a more advanced stand for the enactment and enforcement of prohibitory legislation, and being convinced that these objects cannot be obtained through existing parties, therefore,

Resolved, That we regard the enactment and enforcement of prohibitory laws as the great duty of the citizens of this State.

Resolved, In our opinion Christians and patriots of all creeds and all parties should unite in a grand effort for the suppression of the liquor traffic, in view of the growing political power of the saloon and the increasing danger to our homes and our Christian civilization.

Resolved, Believing that the connection of temperance men with the old political parties is an embarrassing alliance wherein their power for good (in temperance work) is largely neutralized, therefore,

Resolved, That we urge them to unite with us in an independent effort to crush out the liquor traffic in Addison county.

Resolved, That the principles of the prohibition of the liquor traffic should be made a part of the constitution of the State and the nation, and constitutional prohibition should be made operative by electing prohibitionists to enforce the law; therefore, these officers should be elected by a party which should hold fast to the principle of prohibition, law treason to the principles of prohibition.

Resolved, That in view of the excellent work already accomplished by the members of the W. C. T. U. we most cordially invite them to cooperate with us in our work.

Rev. F. W. Olmsted of Bridport objected to the passage of the resolutions in mass, and the one who had so proposed withdrew his motion. It was then voted to consider them separately. The first and second were passed without debate.

When the third was reached Mr. Olmsted suggested the insertion of the words enclosed in brackets; and as thus amended the resolution was accepted. The fourth and fifth were adopted, the latter after verbal amendment. The remaining resolution went through without discussion.

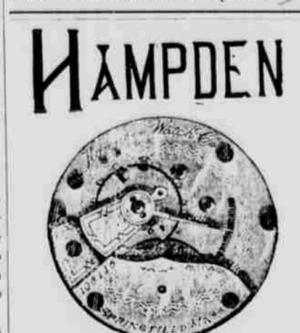
Chairman Smith of the nominating committee reported as follows:

Senators—R. T. Bristol of Pantton and O. P. Mead of Salisbury.
Assistant Judges—J. C. Smith of Shoreham and Geo. T. Mender of Bristol.
Probate Judges—Addison District, J. E. Crane of Middlebury; New Haven District, Lester F. Benton of Vergennes.
State's Attorney—H. S. Foote of Middlebury.
Sheriff—Cyrus A. Bump of Salisbury.
High Bailiff—Edgar Sanford of West Cornwall.

Mr. Bump thought some older man than he should have been nominated for sheriff; and, while not wishing to shirk, he hoped to be excused. Edgar Sanford did not believe in excusing any one that wished to do his duty. He thought it doubtful if the duties of the office would devolve upon Mr. Bump. After some further debate the report of the committee was accepted and adopted.

A vote of thanks was given the ladies of the W. C. T. U. for entertaining the convention. On motion of Rev. Mr. Noe it was voted that the committee have power to fill vacancies in the ticket should any occur.

Hon. J. B. Finch of Evanston, Ill., was then introduced and spoke at some length. His argument was that a new party is absolutely necessary to the establishment of national prohibition. He is an excellent and effective speaker.



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